

Claim #115 Amy

Kennell

Claim No. 115.

Under Article 11. Treaty of 11th June 1866.
with Creek Indians.

The undersigned, Amy Kennell, a Freedwoman of the Creek Nation, Aged 31. Widow of Peyton Graysun, dec'd, being duly sworn (she understanding and conversing in the English language,) deposes and says: Whilst living with her husband, on their place on Little River, Creek Nation, and sometime in the month of September 1861, she was compelled to abandon the same, and with her husband, went with the Royal Chieftain Ap-poth-leo-hola, and his refugees to Kansas, where she remained until the close of the War, and then returned to the Nation: that her husband died of sickness in Kansas, in 1864. This deponent further says; as sole survivor of her husband, they being without living issue, she is entitled to the estate of which he died seized; that at the time of their flight from home, as aforesaid, they owned and possessed all the property hereinafter named, and necessarily left behind them, and abandoned the same, and never thereafter recovered the said property either in whole or in part - to day:

9	Nine Horses	at \$100. each.	at $\frac{5}{8}$ each.	\$ 650.00
3	Three Cows and Calves.	" \$15 "		45.00
60	Sixty Dogs.	" \$5 "		300.00
150	One hundred & fifty bushels Corn.	at \$1.		150.00

Amount brought forward. \$ 1,145.00
Lob. Provisions, 100³ Bacon \$25. 50⁰ Lard. \$12⁵⁰ 37.50
Lob. House furniture Bed, bedding &c. &c. 132.50
making a total value of \$ 1,315.00
thirteen hundred and fifteen dollars.
Further this deponent saith not,
Amy Kennell, ^{her} ^X mark

Subscribed & Sworn to before me at the Creek
Agency On this 11th day of November ad 1869

W. H. McCallum
M. H. Oct. M. Atkt Sup'td Ind Affairs
South U. S.uptd

The undersigned, Jesse Franklin,^{her}
Robert Grayson, Freedmen of the Creek Nation, being
jointly, duly examined and sworn, (they understanding
and conversing in the English language,) do depose
and say: They are not interested in the claim of
Amy Kennell, Widow, in any pecuniary manner
whatever: that they have heard the foregoing affidavit
read to them, and know its contents to be correct and
true in every particular: that they knew the husband
of the said Amy during his lifetime, and that he did
own and possess, and did necessarily abandon and

lose all the property enumerated by her in her deposition, and as the widow of her husband, without any living children, she is lawfully entitled to his estate.

Further these deponents do not say.

Jesse Franklin.

Robert Grayson.

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Subscribed ^{the} sum to before me at the Creek Agency, On this 11th day of November A.D. 1869. 3

John C. Kim
At H. A. & H. Supt Ind. Office
South W. Suptcy

Award

The loss of property specified above is deemed established by the foregoing testimony - Also the status of claimant - The amount claimed, however, is, in some instances, considered excessive - Upon inquiring, it is found, the values of the different kinds of property, at the time the loss occurred, ruled as follows:

Horses: 4 @ \$33.33 ea; - 5 @ \$15.00 each.

8.00 "

Cows & calves:

2.00 "

Hogs:

.50 "

Bacon per bushel:

.10 "

Lard per pound:

.10 "

and for the following one half the claimed value: